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**THE FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICER OF ONTARIO WILL RELEASE
AN ASSESSMENT OF THE FISCAL IMPACT OF THE PROVINCE'S FAIR HYDRO PLAN ON WEDNESDAY,
MAY 24, 2017**

Media Briefing: 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., May 24, 2017
Room 230, Ontario Legislature

News Conference: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., May 24, 2017
Media Studio, Queen's Park

(TORONTO) May 18, 2017 - On Wednesday, May 24th, Stephen LeClair, Ontario's Financial Accountability Officer, will release *An Assessment of the Fiscal Impact of the Province's Fair Hydro Plan*. Mr. LeClair will discuss the report at a **9:00 a.m. news conference** in the **Media Studio** at **Queen's Park**.

In advance of the news conference, there will be a background briefing for *accredited media at 8:00 a.m. in Room 230 at the Legislature (*Accreditation is available through **Gerald Christopher, Room 387A, 416-325-7922** or via email at gchristopher@ola.org).

At the media briefing, senior officials from the Financial Accountability Office of Ontario (FAO) will provide a review of the report and answer questions on a not-for-attribution basis. Copies of the report will be available for the media at the start of the briefing. The report will be posted on the FAO website <http://www.fao-on.org/en/> at **9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 24th**.

About the FAO

Established by the Financial Accountability Officer Act, 2013, the Financial Accountability Office (FAO) provides independent analysis on the state of the Province's finances, trends in the provincial economy and related matters important to the Legislative Assembly of Ontario. Visit our website at <http://www.fao-on.org/en/> and follow us on Twitter at <https://twitter.com/InfoFAO>.

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